



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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April 2, 1998

Ethan Strimling, Treasurer
Democrats 2000
1311 L Street, NW, Suite 300
Washington, DC 20005

Identification Number: C00230342

Reference: Year End Report (7/1/97-12/31/97)

Dear Mr. Strimling:

On March 11, 1998, you were notified that a review of the above-referenced report(s) raised questions as to specific contributions and/or expenditures, and the reporting of certain information required by the Federal Election Campaign Act.

Your March 25, 1998 response is incomplete because you have not provided all the requested information. For this response to be considered adequate, the following information is still required.

-Your report discloses limited payments for administrative expenses. Administrative expenses are payments made for the purpose of operating a political committee including, but not limited to, rent, utilities, salaries, telephone service, office equipment and supplies. Please provide clarification regarding your limited payment for rent.

If this information is not received by the Commission within fifteen (15) days from the date of this notice, the Commission may choose to initiate audit or legal enforcement action.

If you should have any questions related to this matter, please contact Scott Francis on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John D. Gibson", is written over the typed name.

John D. Gibson
Assistant Staff Director
Reports Analysis Division

